

SUPERIOR COURT OF ARIZONA  
MARICOPA COUNTY

CR2012-107176-001 DT

05/11/2016

HONORABLE WARREN J. GRANVILLE

CLERK OF THE COURT  
B. Navarro  
Deputy

STATE OF ARIZONA

PATRICIA L STEVENS  
MARY-ELLEN WALTER  
COLLEEN CLASE

v.

MICHAEL LEE CRANE (001)

HERMAN ALCANTAR JR.

CAPITAL CASE MANAGER

**MINUTE ENTRY (CAPITAL CASE)**

8:45 a.m. This is the time set for a Capital Case Management Conference.

Courtroom 6A SCT

State's Attorney: Juli S. Warzynski, Patricia L. Stevens, and  
Mary-Ellen Walter

Victim Rebekah Motlagh's Attorney: Eric Aiken for Colleen Clase

Defendant's Attorney: Herman Alcantar, Jr.

Defendant: Present

Court Reporter, Rochelle Dobbins, is present.

A record of the proceeding is also made by audio and/or videotape.

**LET THE RECORD REFLECT** that this matter is heard in conjunction with the Defendant's Pretrial Conference in CR 2012-007950-001 and CR 2016-000999-001. (A separate minute entry will issue as to those cases).

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The Victims' next of kin, David and/or Steven Shapiro, are present telephonically.

The Court is in receipt of Defendant's Motion to Continue Trial in CR 2016-000999-001.

The Defense stands on said Motion.

The Defense orally supplements the Motion to Continue Trial and discovery.

The State clarifies the record regarding discovery.

The State requests that the Court set trial in CR 2012-007950-001 if the Defense is not ready to proceed with trial in CR 2016-000999-001.

The Defendant requests to speak to the Court. The Court advises the Defendant that it will afford him an opportunity to speak after the discussion with counsel.

Discussion continues.

The Defense advises that they would like to test the screwdrivers in CR 2016-000999-001.

The State does not object and will submit a stipulation to the Court.

Further discussion is held regarding trial dates and trial sequence.

Because of DNA work being required in CR 2016-000999-001, the parties agree to proceed in the CR 2012-007950-001 matter first.

The Victims object to any further continuances.

The State requests that CR 2012-007950-001 and this matter be set for trial in late October 2016.

The Defense requests that CR 2012-007950-001 be set as a firm trial date and this matter be set as a non-firm trial date.

Because DNA has not been completed in CR 2016-000999-001, the Court will proceed in setting CR 2012-007950-001 for trial.

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The Court sets trial in CR 2012-007950-001 for October 31, 2016 at 8:00 a.m. before the Master Calendar Assignment Judge. (See separate minute entry).

The Court sets trial (Count 1) in CR 2016-000999-001 for November 2, 2016 at 8:00 a.m. before the Master Calendar Assignment Judge. (See separate minute entry).

The Defendant presents statements to the Court.

The Court advises the Defendant that it will answer the Defendant's questions by way of a minute entry.

**IT IS ORDERED** setting the next **Capital Case Management Conference** for **June 28, 2016 at 8:30 a.m.** in this Division, to be heard in conjunction with the Pretrial Conference in CR 2012-007950-001 and CR 2016-000999-001.

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** setting a **Capital Case Management Conference** for **October 31, 2016 at 8:00 a.m.** before the Master Calendar Assignment Judge, to be heard in conjunction with the Trial in CR 2012-007950-001.

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** setting a **Capital Case Management Conference** for **November 2, 2016 at 8:00 a.m.** before the Master Calendar Assignment Judge, to be heard in conjunction with the Trial in CR 2016-000999-001.

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** that no time be excluded.

LAST DAY REMAINS: December 31, 2016.

**IT IS FURTHER ORDERED** affirming prior custody orders.

9:13 a.m. Matter concludes.